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**MARKET GARDENERS'
OR TRUCKERS'**

WHOLESALE LIST

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SEEDS



Northern Grown

(TESTED.)

*Mo. Bot. Garden
1911*

L. L. MAY & CO.,

SEED GROWERS.

St. Paul, Minnesota.

Presented to the L. H. Bailey Hortorium
by the Missouri Botanical Garden, 1972.

TO THE MARKET GARDENERS.

In the following pages we list all the standard varieties of vegetables and such new sorts as we have found by careful test to be worthy of a place in our *Market Gardeners' Catalogue*.

NORTHERN GROWN TESTED SEEDS.

Every year demonstrates the fact more clearly that *Northern Grown Seeds* are superior to all others, being earlier, hardier and more productive. They are now acknowledged by all growers to be the best seeds for any section. Our business has increased over 500 per cent. in the past three years. This is the best proof that can be given as to the popularity of *Northern Grown Stocks*.

OUR PRICES. We have endeavored to make our prices as low as possible, considering the grade and class of seeds which we supply. **Cheap Seeds are Dear at any Price**, as they never give satisfaction, and frequently cause a heavy loss to the purchaser on account of a poor crop.

OUR STOCKS. Our Seed is grown from the most carefully selected Stocks, by our growers, whom we have employed year after year, and whose experience and honesty is unquestionable. We are well aware of the fact that we cannot compete in prices with a certain class of *so-called Seedsmen* who buy their seeds in the open market, and who care nothing about the quality. **We aim to make Highest Quality** our first consideration, and then prices as low as possible considering the class of goods we handle. Another decided advantage we possess over any other seed house in the Northwest, is the fact that all our seeds are thoroughly **Tested** in our Green-houses before an ounce of it is offered, therefore, our patrons can be sure of getting first-class seed in every particular.

ONION SEED—OUR SPECIALTY.

That we are headquarters for **Onion Seed** of the highest germinating quality is thoroughly demonstrated by the fact that our *Market Gardeners' trade* has trebled in the last two years. We have a carefully selected stock of the two most popular and profitable varieties, **Red Wethersfield** and **Yellow Globe Danvers**. We have been particularly careful in the selection of this seed from Onions of the largest size and truest type only. In quality this seed is the finest offered, and we guarantee it to be of 1891 growth and *thoroughly tested*. Read what Mr. T. Greiner says in his Essay on **How to Grow Onions**: "With Onions, more than any other vegetable, Cauliflower excepted, the outcome depends largely upon the seed. Good seed only can bring a glad harvest. It should be obtained from a reliable grower or dealer, for there is always a large stock of poor, worse than worthless seed in the market. *Cheapness in Onion Seed carries with it a suspicion of inferiority*. The grower can ill afford to run risks for the sake of saving a few dollars when he has hundreds at stake in his prospective Onion crop. By all means go sure, pay a good price and plant good seed."

PREMIUMS. On all orders amounting to Five Dollars and upward we give premiums in seeds as follows:

For \$5 order, seeds to amount of \$0.50

For 15 " " " 1.50

For 25 " " " 2.50

For \$10 order, seeds to amount of \$1.00

For 20 " " " 2.00

This applies to **Cash orders only**.

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While we exercise the greatest care to have all Seeds pure and reliable, we do not give any warranty, expressed or implied.—If the purchaser does not accept the Seeds on these conditions, they must be returned at once.

Please do not write here—this space is for filing.

ORDER SHEET FOR SEEDS, REQUISITES, ETC.

L. L. MAY & CO., St. Paul, Minn.

FORWARD TO:

Name of Person _____ Enclosed is Cash, \$ _____
" Post Office _____ " Draft, \$ _____
" Express Office (If different) _____ " Post Office Order, \$ _____
" County _____ or C. O. D., \$ _____
" State _____ Date, _____ | 892.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—On Vegetable Seeds to be sent by Mail, in quantities of one-quarter pound and upward, Postage must be added to Catalogue Prices, at the rate of 8 cents per pound. In the case of Beans and Peas, please add 15 cents per quart, and on Corn, 10 cents per quart to Catalogue Prices for Mailing.

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**DWARF TREE OR BUSH TOMATO.**

This is a variety for the market gardener and the finest we have ever seen. Its great advantage lies in the fact that the bushes are **self supporting**, and, even when laden with fruit, requires no support at all. Another point that will make it very valuable for the grower of tomatoes for market purposes is its **earliness**. No variety we are acquainted with can surpass it in this respect. The fruit is of good size, a scarlet color and wonderfully fine flavor. Its appearance always attracts attention, and we think it will take the place of the Acme and others that are now being grown for the market.

Pkt. 20c.; 3 pkts. 50c.; oz. 75c.

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SULTAN ONION.

The best Yellow Globe Onion that can be grown. It has become the most popular Onion for general cultivation as soon as thoroughly tested by the growers. It has bright yellow color, and grows to a uniform size; the keeping qualities, combined with its productiveness and size, are certain to make it the leading Onion among growers. No one who raises onions should overlook this new variety.

Pkt. 15c.; oz. 40c.; $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. \$1.35; lb. \$4.50.

ICE KING WATERMELON.

The Melon for All Sections.

See Colored Plate in Retail Catalogue.

We are pleased to be able to offer our market gardeners this season a melon that is worthy of their attention and one that is bound to become the most popular variety ever introduced. It is the best melon that can be raised for shipping, surpassing the well known Kolb for this purpose, and is far superior to that variety in quality and productiveness. The meat is of a light color, very rich and sweet. We have carefully tested the Ice King by the side of all our other melons and have found none that can equal it in flavor or yield. We heartily recommend this melon for both private and market use.

Pkt. 10c.; oz. 35c.; $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. \$1.25; 1 lb. \$4.00.

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YELLOW QUEEN LETTUCE.

This is an entirely new and distinct variety which originated in Germany. It forms large solid heads of a yellowish green color, and stands the heat during the hot summer months better than any variety we have ever grown. On our colored plate is a good representation of this beautiful lettuce. It is far the best variety for summer use that has ever been introduced. The delicate color of the leaves and fine quality make it a favorite wherever tested. Nearly every plant makes a fine large head, even in the hottest weather, when other varieties fail to grow. **We cannot too highly recommend the Yellow Queen to all our friends.**

Pkt. 10c.; oz. 50c.

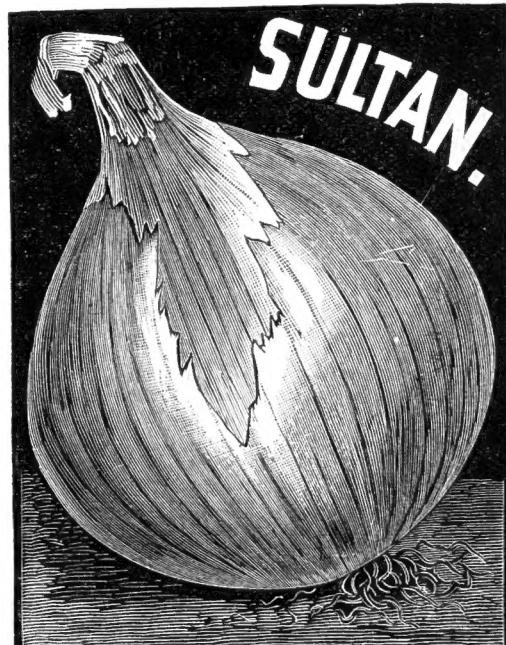
MARKET GARDENER LETTUCE.

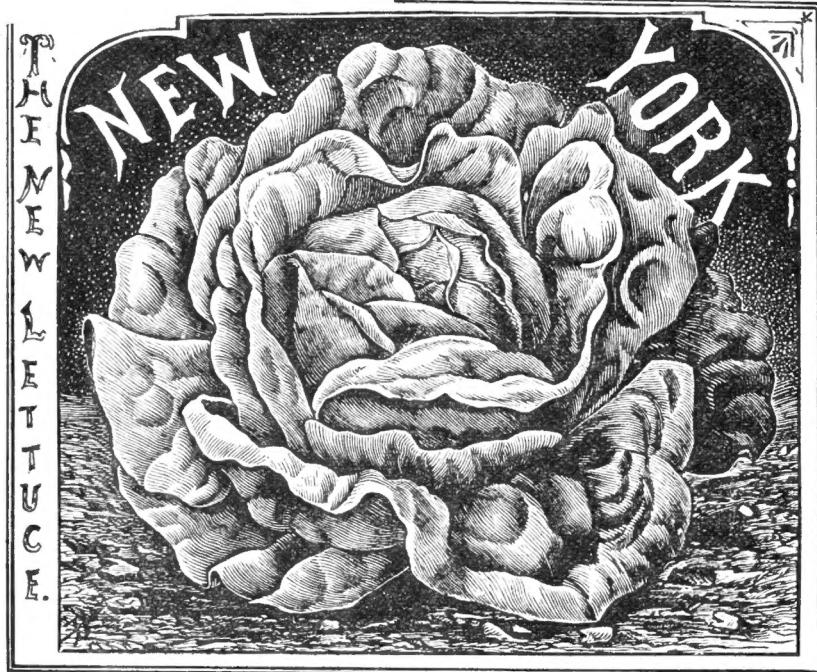
This year we have a splendid stock, and shall be able to offer it somewhat lower than we did last season, and are in a position to fill all orders, as we saved a nice lot of the seed. Our "Market Gardener" is a variety that is unusual for size and solidity of head, and it shows but little tendency to run to seed. We have had plants time and again of this variety eighteen inches in diameter, which weighed nearly four pounds, with heads almost as solid as an early summer cabbage, which in general form it somewhat resembles. The variety blanches itself naturally, is crisp, tender, and of excellent flavor, and always free from bitterness. The outside color we consider to be distinct in shade from any other lettuce that we are familiar with, and may be described as a clear, deep apple green, while on the inside the color is a yellowish white. No variety ever introduced has attracted so much attention among gardeners who grow lettuce for the early market.

Pkt. 10c.; oz. 20c.; $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 45c.; lb. \$1.75.

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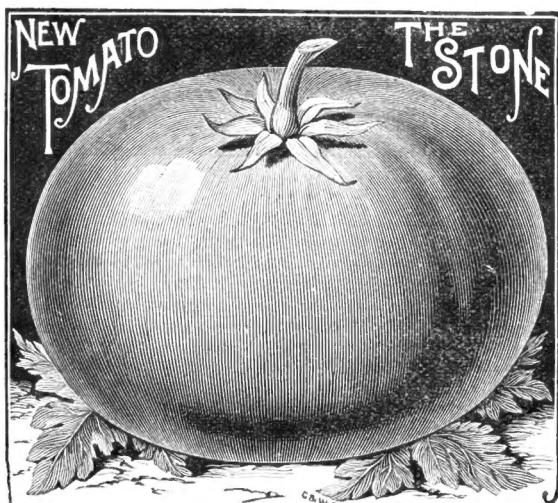
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NEW YORK LETTUCE.

An entirely new and distinct variety which has attracted considerable attention among the largest growers of lettuce. The leaves are very tender, and of a beautiful apple green color, shading to a light green or delicate yellow at the edges. It grows to an immense size, many of the heads measuring over fifteen inches in diameter and weighing between three and four pounds. The flavor is simply delicious, resembling that of the Yellow Queen. Not good for forcing, but is one of the best that can be grown for summer use. We would recommend our market gardeners to use our celebrated Market Gardener Lettuce for forcing purposes and the Yellow Queen and New York for summer use. This will give them the finest varieties that can be grown.
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Pkt. 10c.; oz. 25c.; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 75c.; lb. \$2.50.

**STONE TOMATO.**

The introducer thus describes it: "The New Stone Tomato ripens for main crop; is very large and of bright scarlet color; very smooth, with occasionally a specimen very slightly octagon shaped; ripening evenly to the stem without a crack; exceedingly solid and firm fleshed (as its name indicates;) is an excellent shipper; quality the very best; fine for canning; a good keeper; without hard core; not subject to rot; its appearance on market remarkably attractive; a heavy variety; its vines and foliage rank and robust, heavily loaded with very uniform specimens of fruit." This splendid Tomato was offered for the first time last season and has certainly proved to be all the introducer claimed for it, and we take pleasure in recommending it to our patrons.
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Pkt. 20c.; oz. 40c.

TRUE BLUE PEA.

Since our introduction of this valuable new Pea we have received many testimonials in regard to its fine flavor, earliness and productiveness. It is by far the finest Blue Pea ever offered, surpassing any we have ever seen in yield and quality. It grows to about the same height of our North-west Premier and produces a profusion of medium sized pods, which are well filled with beautiful blue peas of the most delicious flavor. The lovely appearance of the True Blue Pea when shelled has placed it in the front rank among the large growers for market purposes, as it always brings a high price.
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Pkt 10c.; pt. 20c.; qt. 40c.; pk. \$1.75; bus. \$6.50.

NORTH-WEST PREMIER PEA.

The Earliest, Finest Flavored and Most Productive Variety in Cultivation.

This is by far the earliest Pea in cultivation, and is entirely distinct and superior to any other. We have carefully tested it each season on our trial grounds and it still retains first place, both for earliness and productiveness. It ripens so evenly that frequently the entire crop may be gathered at one picking. It seldom attains a height of over twenty-four inches, and requires no stakes or boards for support. Coming into bearing so early, the North-west Premier always commands the very highest price in the market. This makes it invaluable to those who grow peas for the market. Year after year we have been carefully selecting and improving this extra early pea, and the demand for it this last season was simply wonderful. We have sold several thousand bushels of the North-west Premier since its introduction, and the many testimonials we have received from all sections go to show that it is all we claim.

Pkt. 10c.; pt. 15c.; qt. 25c.; pk. \$1.10; bu. \$4.00.

**MARKET GARDENER BEET.**

Several years ago we introduced this splendid turnip-shaped beet, and its earliness and extra fine quality at once placed it at the head of the list of beets for the market gardener. It is by far the earliest variety in cultivation and the best forcing beet ever offered. The tops are small, neat and of uniform growth. The roots are a beautiful, deep, rich red color, always attracting attention wherever exhibited. Flesh is firm, tender and very sweet, retaining its dark red color after being cooked. Trials have been made each season, on our grounds, of all the new blood turnip beets offered by different firms, and so far our "Market Gardener" leads them all in flavor and earliness. **Don't fail to try it this season.**

Pkt. 10c.; oz. 20c.

ERFURT PRIZE BEET.

See Colored Plate in Retail Catalogue.

This and our May's Market Gardener are by far the best beets that can be grown for market purposes. The Erfurt Prize is a half long beet of a deep red color, very sweet and fine flesh. It is a new variety which we have procured from one of the largest seed growers in Europe, Mr. Ernst Benary, Erfurt, Germany, and we offer it for the first time to our patrons this season. Not only is it one of the finest appearing beets we have ever seen, but its keeping qualities are unequalled. No market gardener can afford to be without this valuable new variety.

Pkt. 10c.; oz. 25c.

L. L. MAY'S MARKET GARDENERS' WHOLESALE LIST.

At Prices Quoted in this List, Seeds are sent by Express or Freight at Purchaser's Expense.
Half a pound at pound rates; half peck at peck rates; half bushel supplied at bushel rates.

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ARTICHOKE.

Large Globe

oz. $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. lb.

\$ 20 ✓ 60 2 00

ASPARAGUS.

Conover's Colossal

10 15 40

Palmetto

15 40 1 25

Barr's Phila. Mam

20 50 1 50

BUSH BEANS.

Perfection Wax

35 ✓ 1 50 5 25

Yosemite

40 1 75

Cylinder Ivory Pod Wax

40 1 75

Rust Proof Golden Wax

30 ✓ 1 50 5 50

Henderson's Bush Lima

40 ✓ 2 25 8 50

Improved Red Valentine

20 ✓ 1 00 3 25

Early Mohawk

20 1 00 3 25

Early Long Yellow, 6 wks.

20 ✓ 1 00 3 25

Early China Red Eye

20 1 00 3 25

German Black Wax

30 ✓ 1 25 4 50

Golden Wax

30 1 25 4 50

Crystal White Wax

30 1 50 5 00

New Kidney Wax

30 1 25 4 50

Refugee or Thousand to One

20 1 00 3 25

White Marrow

20 1 00 3 00

Flageolet Wax

25 1 50 5 00

White Navy

20 75 2 75

Cal. Tree

20 1 00 3 00

Ivory Pod Wax

25 1 35 5 00

Horticultural (dwarf)

25 1 25 4 25

White Kidney

20 1 00 3 50

Ne Plus Ultra

25 1 35 5 00

Best of All

25 1 35 5 00

Detroit Wax

30 1 50 5 50

POLE BEANS.

Large Late Lima

30 ✓ 2 00 7 00

Extra Early Lima

30 ✓ 2 00 7 00

Dreer's Improved Lima

30 2 00 7 00

Black Wax

30 2 00 7 00

White Dutch Case Knife

25 1 75 6 50

Scarlet Runner

25 1 75 6 50

Horticultural

25 1 75 6 00

Lazy Wife

40 2 00 8 00

May's Champion Lima

40 2 00 7 50

Challenger Lima

35 2 00 7 50

Sieva or Carolina

30 2 00 7 00

White Runner

25 1 75 6 50

Southern Prolific

25 1 75 6 50

Giant Red Wax

35 2 00 7 50

BEETS.

May's Market Gardener

10 20 60

Lentz

10 20 60

Eclipse

10 20 50

Extra Early Egyptian

10 20 45

Early Blood Turnip

10 20 45

Bassano

10 15 40

Long Dark Blood

10 15 40

Bastian's Extra Early

10 15 45

Dewing's Improved

10 15 40

BEETS—(Cont'd.).

Edmond's Blood Turnip

oz. $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. lb.
10 15 40
10 15 40

Swiss Chard Yellow

10 15 40

Swiss Chard White

10 15 40

Dell's Black Leaved

10 25 75

MANGELS or SUGAR BEETS.

May's Mammoth Long Red

30c.—In 10 lb. lots
25c. per lb.

Golden Tankard

Per lb. 25c.
In lots of 10 lbs
and upward, 22
cts. per lb.

Champ. Yellow Globe

Red Globe

Imperial Sugar

White French

Long Red

BROCCOLI.

White Cape

oz. $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. lb.
30 1 00 3 00

Purple Cape

30 1 00 3 00

BORECOLE or KALE.

Dwarf German

10 ✓ 35 1 00

Tall Scotch

10 30 1 00

BRUSSELS SPROUTS.

Dwarf Improved

10 ✓ 40 1 25

CABBAGE.

Extra Early Sorts

25 80 3 00

Minnesota's Earliest

Express

Early Jersey Wakefield

20 60 2 25

Early Summer

20 60 2 25

Extra Early Etampes

20 60 2 25

Second Early.

Vandergaw

25 75 2 50

Succession

25 75 2 50

Early Dwarf Flat Dutch

20 ✓ 60 2 25

Early York

20 ✓ 60 2 25

Early Winningstadt

20 60 2 25

All Seasons

25 ✓ 75 2 50

Filderkraut

20 60 2 25

Fottler's Improved Brunswick

20 60 2 25

Early Drumhead

20 60 2 25

Late Sorts.

Surehead

25 75 2 50

Mam. Marblehead

20 60 2 25

Prem. Late Flat Dutch

20 60 2 00

Large Late Drumhead

20 60 2 00

Large York

20 60 2 25

Red Cabbages.

Mam. Red Rock

20 60 2 25

Red Dutch

15 50 1 75

Large Red

15 50 1 75

Savoy.

Am. Improved

15 50 1 75

Early Dwarf Ulm

15 50 1 75

Green Globe

15 50 1 75

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CARROTS.

	oz.	1 lb.	lb.
Guerande or Oxheart	10	25	80
Early French Forcing	10	25	80
Half Long Stump Root	10	20	70
Danver's Improved	10	20	70
Imp. Long Orange	10	20	60
Large White Belgian	10	15	50
Large Yellow Belgian	10	15	50
Early Scarlet Horn	10	25	75
James Intermediate	10	25	75

CAULIFLOWER.

May's Extra Selected Early

Dwarf Erfurt	2 75	9 00	
Early Snowball	2 75	9 00	
Early London	35	1 25	
Extra Early Paris	50	1 85	
Extra Early Dwarf Erfurt	2 50	8 00	
Algiers	50	1 85	
Veitches Autumn Giant	50	1 85	
Lenormand's Short Stem	60	2 00	
Walcheren	60	2 00	

CRESS.

Curled	10	20	50
Water (true)	30	1 00	3 50

COLLARDS.

Georgia	10	25	90
True Southern	10	25	90

CELERY.

Giant Pascal	30	1 00	4 00
Self Blanching	25	85	3 00
Bouquet	30	80	2 75
Hartwell's Perfection	25	75	2 50
Henderson's Half Dwarf	20	60	2 00
White Plume	25	75	2 50
Crawford's Half Dwarf	20	60	2 00
Boston Market	20	50	1 75
Dwarf Crimson	20	60	2 00
Giant White Solid	20	50	1 75
Golden Heart	20	60	2 00
Celeriac, Apple	15	40	1 25
Celeriac, Erfurt	15	40	1 25

CUCUMBERS.

Early Cluster	10	20	60
Early Frame	10	20	60
Early Russian	10	20	60
Nichol's Medium Green	10	20	60
Bost. Pickling or Green's Prolific	10	20	65
Improved Long Green	10	20	65
Long Green Turkey	10	25	85
Tailby's Hybrid	10	20	75
Extra Long White Spine	10	20	60
Improved White Spine	10	20	75
Gherkins	10	30	1 25
Jersey Pickling	10	20	60
May's Favorite Pickling	10	30	1 00

CORN.

	qt.	pk.	bu.
Golden Dawn (Novelty)	25	1 50	5 00
Early Cory	20	1 00	3 25
Marblehead	15	75	2 75
Crosby	15	75	2 75
Minnesota	15	75	2 75
Early Adams	15	75	2 75
Narragansett	15	75	2 75
Gold Coin	20	1 00	3 25
Ballard or Chicago Market	15	75	2 75
Shaker's Early	15	75	2 75
Mammoth Sweet	15	75	2 75

Medium Earlies.

Moore's Concord	15	75	2 75
Potter's Excelsior	15	75	2 75
Hickox	15	75	2 75
Perry's Hybrid	15	75	2 75
Amber Cream	15	75	2 75
Black Mexican	15	75	2 75
Old Colony	15	75	2 75

Late Sorts.

Stowell's Evergreen	15	75	2 75
Egyptian	15	75	2 75
Triumph	15	75	2 75
Late Mammoth	15	75	2 75

Pop Corn.

Mapledale			lb.
Queen's Golden			15
White Pearl			10
White Rice			10

Corn Salad.

Large Seeded	10	20	60
Small Seeded	10	20	60

CHICORY.

Madgeburg	10	20	70
Witloof	10	20	70

DANDELION.

American Improved	25	75	2 10
French Thick Leaf	25	75	2 00

EGG PLANT.

Black Pekin	35	1 00	3 75
Early Long Purple	30	75	2 50
New York Improved	40	1 25	4 00

ENDIVE.

Broad Leaved Batavian	10	35	1 10
Green Curled	10	35	1 10
French Curled Moss	15	50	1 50
White Curled	10	35	1 10

KOHL RABI.

Early White Vienna	20	50	1 60
Early Purple Vienna	20	50	1 65

LEEK.

American Broad Flag	15	35	1 40
Large Carentan	15	35	1 40
Musselburg	15	50	1 50
London Flag	15	35	1 35
Large Rouen	15	50	1 50

LETTUCE—Curled.

Early Curled Simpson	15	30	90
Hubbard	15	35	1 10
Green Fringed	15	35	1 15
Oak Leaved	15	40	1 25
Boston Curled	15	30	90
Black Seed Simpson	15	30	90

Head Varieties.

All the Year Round	15	30	1 00
White Cabbage	15	35	1 10
Large Yellow Butter	15	35	1 25
Philadelphia Butter	15	35	1 15
Salamander	15	30	90
The Deacon	15	35	1 15
Hanson	15	30	90
Buttercup	15	30	1 10
Prize Head	15	35	1 10
Tennis Ball Black Seed	15	30	1 00

Forcing and Cos.

Tennis Ball White Seed	15	30	1 00
Paris White Cos	15	30	1 10

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Aug 1
Sept 12
Nov 12

Oct 1
Nov 12

MUSHROOM SPAWN.

	oz.	1 lb.	lb.
English	10 lbs.	\$1 00	
French	10 lbs.	3 00	

MARTYNIA.

Proboscidea	20	75	2 50

MUSK MELONS.

	10	25	90
Minnesota Perfection	10	25	90
Osage or Miller's Cream	10	25	75
Emerald Gem	10	25	70
Bay View	10	20	60
Casaba	10	20	60
Extra Early, Hackensack	10	20	60
Netted Gem	10	20	60
Green Citron Nutmeg	10	20	60
Improved Christiana	10	20	60
Jenny Lind	10	20	60
Large Hackensack	10	20	60
Montreal Nutmeg	10	20	60
Surprise	10	20	60
White Japan	10	20	60
Baltimore or Acme	10	20	60
Skillman's Netted	10	20	60
Chicago Market	10	20	60
Pineapple	10	20	60
Ward's Nectar	10	20	60
Long Yellow Cantaloupe	10	20	60
Round Yellow Cantaloupe	10	20	60
Delmonico	10	20	60

WATERMELONS.

	20	50	1 75
Ruby Gold	20	50	1 75
Seminole	10	20	65
Green and Gold	10	20	70
Black Spanish	10	20	60
Colorado Preserving	10	20	60
Cuban Queen	10	20	60
Dark Icing	10	20	60
Georgia Rattlesnake	10	20	60
Hungarian Honey	10	20	70
Scaly Bark	10	20	60
Mountain Sprout	10	20	60
Boss	10	20	60
Ice Cream or Peerless	10	20	60
Citron for preserves	10	25	70
Mammoth Ironclad	10	20	60
Phinney's Early	10	20	60
Pride of Georgia	10	20	60
Vick's Early	10	20	70
Mountain Sweet	10	20	60
Christmas	10	20	60
Kolb Gem	10	20	60
Light Icing	10	20	60
Gray Monarch	10	20	60
Florida Favorite	10	20	70
Jumbo	10	20	70

MUSTARD.

Black or Brown	10	30
White or Yellow	10	30
Southern Curled	15	50

NASTURTIUM.

Tall Orange	10	40	1 15
Dwarf	10	40	1 15

ONIONS.

Extra Early Red Flat	15	40	1 40
Yellow Globe Danvers	15	40	1 40
Yellow Flat Danvers	15	40	1 40
Larged Red Wethersfield	15	40	1 40
Large White Portugal	20	50	2 25

ONIONS-(Cont'd.).

	oz.	4 lb.	lb.
Large White Globe	20	60	2 15
Yellow Strasburg	15	35	1 20
Philadelphia Silver Skin	20	50	2 00
Red Globe	15	45	1 50

	5 lb. lots.	10 lb. lots.
Extra Early Red Flat	6 75	12 50
Wethersfield Large Red	7 00	13 50
Yellow Globe Danvers	7 00	13 50
Large White Globe	10 50	19 50
Large Red Globe	7 00	13 50

ITALIAN ONIONS.

	oz.	4 lb.	lb.
El Paso	15	50	1 80
Mammoth Silver King	20	60	2 00
Barletta	20	60	2 00
Paris Pickling	15	50	1 60
White Queen	15	60	2 00
White Tripoli	15	40	1 30
Giant Rocca	15	40	1 30
Red Tripoli	15	40	1 30

ONION SETS.

White Bottom	W rite for spe- cial prices.
Yellow Bottom	
Red Bottom	
Red Top	
Yellow Top	
Shallots	

OKRA.

Tall Green	10	✓	20	60
Dwarf Green	10	✓	20	60
Velvet Pod	10	✓	20	65

PARSLEY.

Fern Leaved	10	✓	20	70
Champion Moss Curled	10	✓	20	70
Hamburg	10	✓	20	70
Plain Parsley	10	✓	20	50
Extra Curled	10	✓	20	70

PARSNIP.

Large White Sugar	10	30	45
Student	10	30	45
Hollow Crown	10	30	45
New Maltese	10	30	50
Magnum Bonum	10	30	70

PEAS—Extra Earlies.

	qt.	pk.	bu.
Alaska	15	✓	1 00
Rural New Yorker	15	✓	90
First and Best	15	✓	90
Kentish Invicta	15	✓	90
Blue Peter	20	1 35	4 75
Philadelphia Extra Early	15	✓	90
Improved Daniel O'Rourke	15	✓	90
American Wonder	25	1 50	5 00
McLean's Little Gem	25	1 25	4 50
Premium Gem	25	1 25	4 50
Tom Thumb	20	1 15	4 25
Blue Beauty	25	1 50	5 50
Extra Early Kent	15	✓	90

Mediums.

Quantity	25	1 25	4 75
Horsford's Market Garden	20	1 15	4 50
McLean's Advancer	20	✓ 1 15	4 50
Bliss' Abundance	20	1 10	4 00
Bliss' Everbearing	20	1 10	4 00
Prince of Wales	25	1 25	4 75

PEAS—Late Sorts.	qt.	pk.	bu.	SPINACH.	oz.	½ lb.	lb.
Champion of England	20	90	3 40	Curled Bloomsdale	10	25	
Yorkshire Hero	20	90	3 40	Round Leaf	10	20	
Stratagem	25	1 75	6 50	Long Standing	10	20	
Pride of the Market	25	1 75	6 50	Prickly Seeded	10	25	
Telephone	25	1 75	6 50	Viroflay	10	20	
Dwarf Gray Sugar	20	1 60	6 00				
Tall Gray Sugar	20	1 60	6 00	10 lbs. any variety Spinach \$1.75			
Blue Imperial	20	90	3 25	SQUASH.			
Black-Eyed Marrowfat	15	60	2 25	Early White Bush Scallop	10	20	50
White Marrowfat	15	60	2 00	Early Yellow Bush Scallop	10	20	50
Canada Field	10	45	1 60	Early Summer Crookneck	10	20	50
PUMPKINS.	oz.	½ lb.	lb.	Prolific Marrow	10	20	50
Cashaw	10		60	Perfect Gem	10	20	50
Conn. Field	05		25	Essex Hybrid	10	20	50
Large Cheese	10		40	Bay State	10	25	75
Mam. Tours.	10		60	Pine Apple	10	20	60
Negro	10		60	Boston Marrow	10	20	55
Tenn. Sweet Potato	10		70	Orange Marrow	10	20	60
Mam. Red Etampes	10		75	Mam. Chili	10	25	90
Sugar	10		45	Marblehead	10	20	50
Jonathan.	10		75	Sibley	10	20	65
Quaker Pie	10		75	Canada Crookneck	10	20	50
PEPPER.	25	75	2 75	Hubbard	10	20	60
Golden Queen.	20	60	2 25	Mediterranean	10	25	75
Small Chili	20	60	2 15	Egg Plant (new)	10	25	75
Golden Dawn	20	60	2 25	Vegetable Marrow (new)	10	25	70
Long Red Cayenne	20	60	2 25	American Turban	10	20	70
Sweet Mountain	20	60	2 25	Butman	10	20	55
Large Bell	20	60	2 25				
Ruby King.	20	60	2 25	TOMATOES.			
Red Cluster	20	60	2 35	Dwarf Champion	25	65	2 50
Frocopp's Giant	25	75	2 75	May's Volunteer	25	60	2 25
RADISHES.	30			Lorillard	25	65	2 25
Early Varieties.				Extra Early Red	20	60	2 10
Extra Early Carmine	10	20	60	Canada Victor	20	50	1 85
Long Scarlet Short Top	10	15	45	Livingston's Perfection	20	50	1 85
Early Scarlet Turnip	10	15	40	Livingston's Favorite	20	50	1 85
Early Deep Scarlet Turnip	10	15	40	Paragon	20	50	1 85
Scarlet Turnip White T.	10	15	40	Cardinal	20	60	2 00
Early White Turnip	10	15	40	Trophy	20	60	2 10
Woods' Early Frame	10	15	45	Acme Selected	20	60	2 00
Olive-Shaped.				Scoville's Hybrid	20	65	2 25
French Breakfast.	10	15	50	Mikado	20	65	2 25
White, Olive-Shaped	10	15	40	Livingston's Beauty	20	50	1 85
Scarlet, Olive-Shaped	10	15	40	Conqueror	20	60	2 00
Summer Varieties.				Pear-Shaped Yellow	20	75	2 75
Yellow Summer Turnip	10	15	40	Red Plum	20	75	2 75
Lady Finger or Wht. Naples.	10	15	50	Red Pear	20	75	2 75
Golden Globe	10	15	40	Golden Queen	25	75	2 75
Giant White Stuttgart.	10	15	40				
White Summer Turnip	10	15	45	TURNIPS.			
Improved Chartier.	10	15	45	Extra Early Millan	10		50
Winter Varieties.				Extra Early Munich	10		50
California Mammoth.	10	15	55	Early Snowball	10		60
Long White Russian	10	15	50	Red Top Strap Leaf	10		35
Chinese Rose Winter.	10	15	50	White Strap Leaf	10		30
Black Spanish, Round	10	15	45	Pom. White Globe	10		35
Black Spanish, Long	10	15	50	Purple Top Strap Leaf	10		40
White Strasburg	10	15	50	Early Dutch	10		35
RHUBARB.				White Norfolk	10		30
Linnæus	20	60	2 00	Cowhorn	10		35
Victoria	20	60	2 00	White Egg	10		35
SALSIFY.				Amber Globe	10		40
Long White	10	30	1 10	Golden Ball	10		35
Mam. Sandwich Island	10	35	1 25	Yellow Aberdeen	10		35
				Seven Top	10		30

RUTA BAGA.	oz.	$\frac{1}{4}$ lb.	lb.
May's Imp. Purple Top.	10		30
White French.....	10		30
Large White.....	10		30
Shamrock.....	10		30
Carter's Hardy Swede.....	10		30
Large Sweet German.....	10		30
Laing's Improved Purple Top	10		30
Skinnington's Purple Top	10		30

10 lbs. of any Turnip	{Quoted at 30c. per lb. for \$2.75.
" " " "	{Quoted at 35c. per lb. for \$3.25.

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Havana.....	(f)	25	✓	75	2	50
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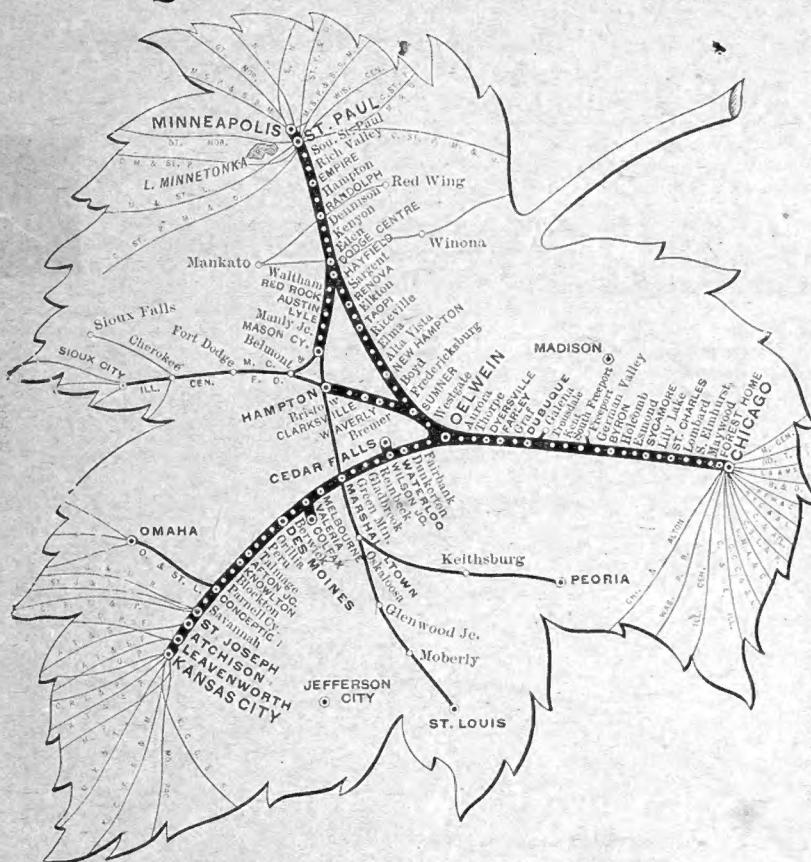
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	oz.		oz.		
Alyssum, Sweet.....	.15	Globe Amaranth, Red.....	.20	Phlox Drummondi, Mixed...	.50
Asters, New Victoria.....	1.50	" " Mixed20	" " Red75
" Globe Peony Flowered 2.00		Hollyhock, Double White..	1.25	" " Pure White 1.00	
" New Rose.....	2.00	" " Double Scarlet.....	2.00	" " Dwarf, White.....	3.00
" Harlequin.....	3.00	" " Yellow.....	2.00	" " Red.....	4.00
Ageratum, Blue.....	.15	" " Mixed Colors 2.00		" " Mixed.....	3.00
" White.....	.30	Marigold, African.....	.15	Poppy, Paeonia Flowered..	.10
Balsam Rose.....	1.00	" French Striped..	.20	" Japanese Mixed....	.50
" White.....	.75	" El Dorado.....	.50	" Danebrog.....	.15
" Mixed.....	.60	Mignonette, Machet.....	.50	" Umbrosium25
Bellis Perennis, Mixed....	2.50	" Odorata10	Smilax.....	1.25
Calendula Le Prouste.....	.20	" May's Spiral..	.50	Sweet Peas, Mixed.....	.10
" Prince of Orange20	Myosotis, Alpine Blue....	.60	" Invincible10
" Fine Mixed.....	.15	" Mixed60	" Gem.....	.10
Candy Tuft, Fragrant.....	.15	Nasturtium, Rose.....	.15	" Adonis10
" White10	" Tom Thumb, Mixed ..	.10	" Butterly.....	.10
" Lilac.....	.15	" Empress of India ..	.15	" Painted Lady10
Chrysanthemum, Mixed....	.15	" King Theodore, Tall ..	.15	Sweet William, Sing' Mixed	.20
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